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## Individual Complaint Form

Date\*: 10/26/2018

### Complainant or Legal Representative Information:

\* Required Fields

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Name \* Herbert F Goforth

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Firm (if applicable)

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CLERK'S OFFICE

Mailing Address \* 1990 Fowler Rd

City, State Zip \* Woodruff, SC 29388

Phone \* 864-433-0763

E-mail lwkfrd@gmail.com

Name of Utility Involved in Complaint: \* Duke Energy Co

### Type of Complaint (check appropriate box below.) \*

- |   |  |  |   |
|---|--|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Billing Error/Adjustments | <input type="checkbox"/> Deposits and Credit Establishment | <input type="checkbox"/> Wrong Rate    | <input type="checkbox"/> Refusal to Connect Service |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disconnection of Service             | <input type="checkbox"/> Payment Arrangements              | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Quality | <input type="checkbox"/> Line Extension Issue       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Service Issue                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Meter Issue                       |  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (be specific)                  |  |  |   |

Have you contacted the Office of Regulatory Staff (ORS)? \* ☒ Yes ☐ No

Name of ORS Contact: Brad Kirby

### Concise Statement of Facts/Complaint: \* (This section must be completed. Attach additional information to this page if necessary.)

I received my statement for electrical service from Duke Energy 8/25/2018 that showed my usage as 400% of normal. I contacted customer service and was directed to check my readings to see if it was still running high. They were normal. Mr Thomason sent me a copy of my usage for a one year period. This showed my readings went haywire on 7/15/2018 and continued for 44 consecutive days ending the day I contacted customer service. Copies of these readings were included in my contact with the Regulatory Staff  
Two men came to test my meter on 10/2/2018. They tested it under low and normal load and it checked normal. All readings after 8/26 were

### Relief Requested: \* (This section must be completed. Attach additional information to this page if necessary.)

I request my billing for services 7/15/2018 through 8/26/2018 be adjusted to my normal usage and a refund of my overpayments for the three billing periods involved be refunded.

\*\*I GIVE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA PERMISSION TO PUBLISH THIS COMPLAINT AND ITS CONTENTS ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE (dms.psc.sc.gov), AND I UNDERSTAND SUCH INFORMATION MAY BE SUBJECT TO PUBLIC SCRUTINY OR FURTHER RELEASE. ☒ Yes ☐ No

Complainant's Signature\* (MUST BE SIGNED, DO NOT PRINT)

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA )  
COUNTY OF )

### VERIFICATION

I, Herbert F Goforth  
Complainant's Name \*

verify that I have read my complaint filed on 10/26/20  
Date \*

and know the contents thereof, and that said contents are true.

Complainant's Signature \* (MUST BE SIGNED, DO NOT PRINT)

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